GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government, Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens – Departmental proceedings under rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal Rules) 1991 – Article of Charge – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1689 **Dated: 12-09-2025**

Read:

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Govt., Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputation of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charge (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of articles of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III & IV).

3. Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Govt., is directed to submit his written statement of defense within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order and also to state whether he desires to be heard in person.

4. He is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. He is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defense on or before the date specified in para-3 above, or does not appear in person before the Inquiring Authority or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of the AP Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

6. Attention of Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government is invited to rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri V. Srinivasulu

Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government is aware of such a representation and it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. Receipt of the Memorandum be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government
(through the Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens)
The Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens
(with a request to serve the orders on the individual and send the dated acknowledgement to this Dept. for record)

Copy to
The General Administration (SC.F) Department
SF (2253156)

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

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ANNEXURE – I

STATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. SRINIVASULU REDDY, DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVT., DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DIFFERENTLY ABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS

ARTICLE OF CHARGE:

That the said Sri V.Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government while working in the Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens has filed a complaint dt.31.07.2023 in which he questioned the established procedure of the Commissionerate of Inquiries in conduct of inquiries and questioned the integrity of Sri J. Satyanarayana, IPS (Retd), Commissioner of Inquiries (CoI) by mis-representing the orders of Hon'ble High Court dated 29.03.2023 in W.P. No. 19382 of 2020.

Thus, Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Govt., Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens by his above mentioned acts has exhibited conduct unbecoming of a Government Servant and thereby violated Rule 3 (1) and 3 (2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

K.VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE – II

STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT OR MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT OF THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. SRINIVASULU REDDY, DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVT., DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DIFFERENTLY ABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS.

That the said Sri V.Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government has filed a complaint dt.31.07.2023, against Sri J.Satyanaryana, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries, who submitted inquiry report on the charges framed against him.

Sri J.Satyanaryana, IPS (Retd), Commissioner of Inquiries, submitted inquiry report on the charges framed against him. Based on the report he was awarded Censure vide G.O.Rt.No.107, General Administration (SC.D) Department, dated:20.01.2020.

Hon'ble High Court in its order dated 29.03.2023 in W.P. No. 19382 of 2020 filed by him, directed to take all required steps for promotion of the petitioner as Joint Secretary from the date of his eligibility on par with his junior and all other promotions, if any, if he is otherwise eligible, without observing punishment under G.O.Rt.No.107, General Administration (SC.D) Department, dated:20.01.2020, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of a copy of the order.

Sri V.Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government has filed a complaint dt.31.07.2023 against Sri J.Satyanaryana, IPS (Retd), Commissioner of Inquiries in which he referred to para 11 of the order of Hon'ble High Court dated:29.03.2023 and stated that the Inquiry Commission is abusing the powers of Chair and causing deliberate damages to the victim of false and frivolous allegations that being faced by them at the hands of the present Commissioner of Inquiries Mr. J.Satyanarayana, IPS (Retd.) that cause losing the morale of the innocent officials who are working with utmost integrity and honesty to the rule of law in terms of A.P. Secretariat Business Rules.

Sri V.Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government further alleged that Sri J.Satyanaryana, IPS (Retd) is of suspectable integrity and if such persons continue in such high level positions, it would tarnish the image of the Government.

Sri V.Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government requested the Government to terminate the services of Sri J.Satyanarayana, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries forthwith by replacing with officer of high integrity.

As seen from para 11 of the judgment of Hon'ble High Court dated:29.03.2023 in W.P.No.19382/2020, nothing adverse has been pointed out or commented against the Inquiring Authority by the High Court. Para 11 of the

judgment is only the argument of the Counsel for the Petitioner (Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy). But, in his complaint, the argument of the Counsel for the Petitioner is mis-represented as adverse remarks of Hon'ble High Court on Sri J.Satyanarayana, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries and questioned the integrity of a senior IPS Officer.

Thus, Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Govt., Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens by his above mentioned acts has exhibited conduct unbecoming of a Government Servant and thereby violated Rule 3 (1) and 3 (2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

K.VIJAYANAND
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ANNEXURE – III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. SRINIVASULU REDDY, DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVT., DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DIFFERENTLY ABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

1. Application dt. 31.07.2023 of V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Govt., Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens.
2. Judgment Copy Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.19382/2020 dated:29.03.2023.

K.VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE – IV

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI V. SRINIVASULU REDDY, DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVT., DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DIFFERENTLY ABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED.

–NIL-

K.VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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